

# Consent Agenda

<b>Agenda Item #</b>	6G
<b>Meeting Date</b>	July 27, 2015
<b>Prepared By</b>	Rick Bowers Police Captain
<b>Approved By</b>	Suzanne R. Ludlow City Manager

<b>Discussion Item</b>	Single Reading Ordinance Authorizing the Purchase of Seven Ford Vehicles for the Police Department
<b>Background</b>	<p>In accordance with the City's practice to replace vehicles pursuant to its vehicle replacement policy, the Police Department proposes the replacement of seven fleet vehicles. To be purchased are six Ford Interceptor Utility vehicles and a Ford van. The van is used for a number of purposes, including transportation of training equipment, evidence transport, use by the Department's Emergency Response Team, and other needs as they arise.</p> <p>Funding for the purchase is included in the FY 2016 budget. The vehicles would be purchased from Apple Ford at a price based on a competitively bid State of Maryland contract.</p>
<b>Policy</b>	<p>The cost is in excess of \$10,000. Therefore, Council approval of the purchase is required.</p> <p>This is a cooperative purchase in accordance with the provisions of the City Code. Consequently, competitive bidding is not required.</p> <p>Funding for the purchase of the police cruisers is included in the FY 2016 budget. Therefore, a single reading ordinance is appropriate.</p>
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	Total purchase outlay for the seven vehicles: \$192,132.00
<b>Attachments</b>	Single Reading Ordinance Authorizing the Purchase of Seven Ford Vehicles for the Police Department
<b>Recommendation</b>	Approve single reading ordinance.
<b>Special Consideration</b>	

Introduced by:

Single Reading Ordinance

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND  
ORDINANCE NO. 2015-**

**AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE SEVEN REPLACEMENT FORD VEHICLES FOR  
THE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, six police patrol vehicles and one van are scheduled for replacement in accordance with the City's vehicle replacement policy; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2016 budget includes funding for purchase of vehicles for the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the Department proposes to acquire six Ford Interceptor Utility vehicles and one Ford van; and

WHEREAS, the quoted price is based on a competitively bid State of Maryland contract with Apple Ford.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager or her designee is authorized to enter into an agreement with the Apple Ford for the purchase of seven vehicles at a cost of \$192,132.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015 by roll-call vote as follows:

AYE:

NAY:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT: